

Report from Faringdon Junior School for the Annual Town Meeting 2021

The money the Town Council gave to us arrived at such a crucial time during the COVID-pandemic. We were desperate for more Chrome Books in order to facilitate remote learning for our most vulnerable pupils as we did not have enough devices to lend out to the children who really needed them. Thanks to the Town Council's very kind grant we were able to fund 6 more Chrome Books for these families. This in turn allowed those children to log on, see their teachers and peers and be able to continue their learning journey, albeit remotely. Without your very kind and generous donation, we would have had 6 more families picking up paper packs, working on them alone and in isolation, with no live teaching. Their learning would certainly have suffered and the gap between them and their peers would have widened. As remote learning co-ordinator, I cannot thank you enough for the difference you were able to make to our children at such a difficult time. These 6 Chrome Books are now available to use in school and so we are building up our supply of Chrome Books and my aim for September is to have 30 Chrome Books per year group so that we don't have to share devices across the whole school anymore. Thank you again for your wonderful support.

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